

Talked About Care of Teeth and Gums*

2012 Maine Pregnancy Risk Assessment Monitoring System Survey Results

Demographic Groups		No		Yes	
	Population	%	CI	%	CI
Total	12,692	54.2	49.8 - 58.6	45.8	41.5 - 50.3
Age					
<20 years	799	59.7	42.3 - 74.9	40.3	25.1 - 57.7
20-24 years	2,971	63.2	54.4 - 71.2	36.8	28.8 - 45.6
25-34 years	7,233	50.9	45.0 - 56.8	49.1	43.2 - 55.0
35+ years	1,689	46.6	34.2 - 59.5	53.4	40.5 - 65.8
Mother's Race					
White	11,875	54.1	49.6 - 58.5	45.9	41.5 - 50.4
Black	414	58.8	27.4 - 84.4	#	# - #
Other	390	0.0	0.0 - 0.0	#	# - #
Hispanic Origin					
No	12,481^	53.7	49.3 - 58.1	46.3	41.9 - 50.8
Yes	202^	#	# - #	#	# - #
Education					
< High School	1,225	66.0	50.7 - 78.5	34.0	21.5 - 49.3
High School	4,005	63.6	55.8 - 70.8	36.4	29.2 - 44.2
> High School	7,396	46.4	40.7 - 52.2	53.6	47.8 - 59.3
Marital Status					
Married	7,403	43.9	38.3 - 49.8	56.1	50.2 - 61.7
Not Married	5,289	65.5	58.9 - 71.7	34.5	28.3 - 41.2
Income					
\$14,999 or less	3,749**	66.7	58.5 - 74.0	33.3	26.0 - 41.5
\$15,000-24,999	1,942**	66.1	54.8 - 75.9	33.9	24.2 - 45.2
\$25,000-49,999	2,395**	53.0	43.1 - 62.8	47.0	37.3 - 56.9
\$50,000 or more	3,583**	32.2	25.3 - 39.9	67.9	60.1 - 74.7

Enrolled in WIC							
No	6,668**	46.8	41.0	-	52.7	53.2	47.3 - 59.0
Yes	5,439**	62.7	55.9	-	69.0	37.3	31.0 - 44.1
Enrolled in MaineCare/Medicaid							
No	5,080**	35.9	29.8	-	42.4	64.1	57.6 - 70.2
Yes	7,170**	67.2	61.4	-	72.5	32.9	27.5 - 38.6
Infant's birth weight							
<2500 grams	848	56.4	51.1	-	61.5	43.6	38.5 - 48.9
2500 grams or more	11,838	54.0	49.3	-	58.7	46.0	41.4 - 50.7

NOTES:

Population size for groups giving birth in Maine are taken from the Maine Vital Statistics System unless otherwise noted.

Unknowns are excluded from all tabulations.

**Survey Question 29b. This question is about the care of your teeth during your most recent pregnancy.*

A dental or other health care worker talked with me about how to care for my teeth and gums

** Estimates of the population size for this group giving birth in Maine are made through PRAMS.

^ Estimate of Hispanic population giving birth in Maine is taken from the 2012 birth file.

There were fewer than 10 survey respondents to this question. Data may be unreliable for describing this group, therefore percent is not reported.

CI = 95% Confidence Interval

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